

FALCON MAN SHOT TO DEATH

Two Killed, Five Injured In Train Crash

Engineer and Youth Die as T. P. Train Is Derailed Monday

All Cars Leave Rails Except One Pullman According to Witnesses

SHREVEPORT, La.—(P)—Two persons were killed, six injured, five of them seriously in an alleged attempt to wreck the Texas and Pacific south-bound passenger train at Hutchinsons Spur, 18 miles south of here Monday night.

Wounded Farmer May Lose Sight

SEARCY—Two farmers were wounded, one seriously, during an altercation at Searcy, near here, Monday afternoon. Plaz Jones, aged 35, was shot in the face and probably will lose the sight of both eyes.

Parents of Texas Boys Held for Their Murder

PALESTINE, Tex.—(P)—Sheriff Haslett of Houston county said Monday two murder charges each were filed at Crockett against W. E. Johnson and his wife, after a post mortem examination showed that Johnson's sons, Quincy Leon, 12, and Daniel Walter, 8, allegedly died of poisoning.

Youth of 19 Held Over Death of His Brother

MARVILLE, Tenn.—(P)—Oscar Rowlett, 22, was dead Monday and his 19-year-old brother, Arthur, was held in Blount county jail, charged with stabbing him to death with a pocket knife.

Mena Preparing to Aid Poor Christmas

MENA, Ark.—There will be no home in Mena to suffer from hunger and lack of cheer this Christmas, if plans of the Federated Welfare association can be carried out. The central agency for charitable work is selected needy families for "adoption" by more fortunate individuals and organizations, and the distribution by Goodfellows will be on an organized system, so that none will be overlooked.

Children's Dimes Aid Dry Cause



Prohibition leaders hope a dime apiece from American school children will offset recent contributions to the wet cause. Here Edwin C. Dinwiddie, executive secretary of the Prohibition Board of Strategy, and Miss Dorothy Gerth (left) are shown viewing the first shower of dimes that reached prohibition headquarters in Washington in response to a nation-wide appeal.

Former Arkansan Gets Prison Term

PLEADS GUILTY TO MURDER IN MISSOURI AND SENTENCED TO SERVE 40 YEARS

POPULAR BLUFF, Mo.—Connie Bowman, aged 19, was sentenced to 40 years imprisonment Monday when he pleaded guilty in Circuit Court at Bloomfield for participation in the murder last October 1 of Henry Franzdorf, aged and wealthy bachelor. Franzdorf was shot seven times with his father, Pierce Bowman, aged 60, but charges against the elder Bowman were dismissed following the plea of guilty. Bowman implicated Chester Jordan, 17, who was with him when the shooting occurred and Jordan was arrested.

Mrs. Martindale to Present Her Pupils

SPLENDID PICTURE WILL BE PRESENTED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS PROGRAM

The Saenger Theatre will present Mrs. James Martindale and her dancing classes in their annual Christmas Revue, "Frills and Feathers" in two parts with forty of her pupils on Tuesday, December 22. Gorgeous costumes, special scenery, tap, precision routines, acrobat specialties and novelty dances.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



A cold house in the morning gets you all steamed up.

Chiang Kai Shek Is Succeeded By Veteran Lin Sen

SCHOOLHOUSE NEAR MENA IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

MENA, Ark.—Flames originating from an unusual cause, brought about the destruction of the two-room schoolhouse at Dallas, Saturday. Oil being heated in the building for use on the floors caught fire and the flames spread so rapidly they could not be checked. The school had rock walls with an inside lining of lumber, and was the first built in Polk county of native stone. It served as a model for other rock walled schools of later construction, having an attractive exterior. The building cost about \$4000 and carried \$2000 insurance.

Dr. L. M. Lile Heads Medical Society

COUNTY GROUP HOLD MEETING AND ELECT OFFICERS FOR 1932

At a recent meeting of the Hempstead County Medical Society, the following officers were elected for 1932: President, Dr. L. M. Lile. Vice President, Dr. J. G. Martindale. Secretary-Treasurer, Dr. T. L. McDonald. Delegate to Arkansas Medical Society, Dr. Don Smith. Alternate, Dr. G. E. Cannon. Credentials Committee, Drs. Don Smith, J. G. Martindale, T. L. McDonald.

Moratorium Not a Matter of Party

ROBINSON ANNOUNCES EVERY EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO REDUCE EXPENSES

WASHINGTON.—(P)—The Democratic joint policy committee Tuesday decided that the Hoover moratorium was not a subject for party consideration and to leave it to personal views of the Democratic members. A brief statement was issued by Speaker Garner and Senator Robinson of Arkansas said that the committee recommended that every possible effort be made to reduce government expenditures but no details with respect to the tariff or tax revision was agreed upon, but will be matters of further consideration.

Bond for Former Judge Is Aaked at Pine Bluff

PINE BLUFF.—(P)—Bond was asked for former County Judge C. M. Philpot, held in jail on a charge of murder, in a motion filed in circuit court here Monday by his attorneys. Judge Philpot recently was brought to jail here from the state hospital for nervous diseases, where he had been confined since a few hours after he killed his son-in-law, Chester W. Taylor, former congressman, last July. The motion for a bond, which will be heard a week from Tuesday, set out that Judge Philpot is in ill health, is 76 years old and close confinement in jail will aggravate his condition. The fact that he lived in Jefferson county 55 years and served in public offices is given as further reason that he should not be held without bond.

30 Cases of Diphtheria in Arkansas Reported

LITTLE ROCK.—(P)—The weekly health report compiled Monday by the state health department and forwarded to public health officials at Washington, showed the following cases of communicable diseases reported in Arkansas last week: diphtheria 30; influenza 11; measles 13; meningitis 1; scarlet fever 23; smallpox 7; typhoid fever 14.

Wife of Noted Writer Is Ill at Saint Louis

ST. LOUIS.—(P)—Mrs. Theodore Dreiser, wife of the novelist, is ill with pneumonia in Deaconess hospital here. Her condition was reported "fairly good" Monday.

Chicago Virtually Assured As Site for National Meeting

DETROIT WITHDRAWS BID FOR CONVENTION AT NOON TUESDAY

HOOVER ATTACKED

CHAIRMAN FESS DESCRIBES EFFORTS OF PRESIDENT AS STUPENDOUS

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Chicago was virtually assured as the site for the Republican convention by the withdrawal of Detroit's bid at noon Tuesday.

WASHINGTON.—(P)—The Republican National Committee was called upon Tuesday by Chairman Fess to mold an "intelligent public opinion" on President Hoover's record.

Fess described as stupendous, the President's efforts to help the business situation. Balloting on the convention city was deferred until late Tuesday afternoon, but Chicago continued to be the overwhelming favorite, pressed only by Detroit.

Big Lumber Mill to Be Dismantled

GREATEST MILL IN ARKADELPHIA TO QUIT AFTER 25 YEARS OF SERVICE

ARKADELPHIA, Ark.—Another one of Arkansas' great lumber mills has saved its last log and will be dismantled. The Ozark-Grayson Lumber company at Grayson in this county probably will devote a great deal of interest to the development of a cinnabar deposits found on its property which comprises several thousand acres of cut-over lands in the western side of Clark county. Geologists have found good outcroppings of the ore which is comparatively rare in the world. It is the ore from which mercury or quicksilver is manufactured. There was sadness in the mill town when the last log was sent out and converted into planks. For a quarter of a century this was the biggest sawmill industry in Clark county and even a wider territory. Several hundred people received employment and a considerable town sprang up on the Womble, now the Norman, branch of the Missouri Pacific. Several well known Arkadelphia people were officers in the lumber company. The late George Grayson, for whose father the town was named, and C. C. Jackson, were among the Arkadelphia people extensively interested in the mill.

The planing mill of the company will continue to operate until the stock on hand is worked up, but that will not require long. The planer will operate only about two days a week. Officials have announced. After the planer shuts down there will be a great calm where before was bustle and enterprise. Billions of feet of pine lumber have been cut by this mill.

Two Prescott Men Arrested at Gurdon

GURDON, Ark.—W. C. Dowdle, 28, and J. T. Stagle, 27, both of Prescott, were arrested in the Ritchie Wholesale Grocery company store here Sunday by local officers. Marshal John H. Sheppard went to the scene and the store was surrounded, but as the city lights were out officers had to guard the store until the lights were turned on again. As the town was lighted up the store was entered and the two men were arrested and lodged in the city jail. These men were known here by several of the Gurdon young men who claim they are members of the Arkansas National Guard at Prescott.

Patents to Settlers on Disputed Land Asked

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Authority for the secretary of the interior to issue patents to settlers on land near El Paso that figured in a boundary dispute between Texas and New Mexico was asked Monday by Senator Bratton, democrat.

Bratton explained approximately 50,000 acres were involved in the lost titles which resulted from a resurveying of the boundary, shifting a number of land holders from one state to the other.

In the shift, a number lost their titles to the acreage, which lies near El Paso and Las Cruces, N. M. The bill was conditioned upon Texas taking similar action to guarantee title to the resurvey, but Bratton added Texas already had taken this action.

W.E. Knight Dies, Elmore Russell Hurt in Gun Fray

Bulletins

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Organization of the house was completed Tuesday when both democratic and Republican slates were approved. The house is now ready to go to work on bills which have been mounting on the committee tables since last week.

HELENA.—(P)—Circuit Judge W. D. Davenport, Tuesday sustained a county clerk's demurrer to the State Tax Commission's petition for a writ of mandamus to compel his disregard for the Phillips County Board of Equalizations recent order to reduce tax assessments 25 per cent.

Goodfellows Will Be on Job Again

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CAMPAIGN TO BE LAUNCHED WEDNESDAY

The Goodfellows are on the job again making sure that the little fellows who confidently look forward to Santa Claus' coming shall not be disappointed. Kendall Lemley, Hamilton Hanegan, Robert Wilson and Carter Johnson will begin contacting the Goodfellows Wednesday to secure their annual membership dues of \$1. Mrs. Arch Moore will serve as in the past as the Goodfellows' purchasing agent as well as having charge of distributions. The list of donors will be published each day in The Star. Households whose children have outgrown their toys can help a lot in the Goodfellows' annual canvass. Scoutmaster Henry Haynes has obtained the promise of the Hope Boy Scouts to mend broken toys and put them in shape for distribution with the other gifts of the Goodfellows. Toys not too badly broken should be brought to Mr. Haynes, who will see that his Scouts give them the proper attention.

Hospital for Insane Destroyed by Fire

THREE PERSONS PERISH IN EFFORT TO ESCAPE FROM BURNING BUILDING

CHARLOTTETOWN, Prince Edward Island.—(P)—The Falconwood hospital for the insane burned down early Tuesday and three persons perished. One was trapped by flames and two others killed in leaps from windows. Three hundred persons were driven by the fire into the cold night.

Mrs. Ernest Schooley Dies Saturday Night

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. ERNEST SCHOOLEY, WHO DIED AT THE FAMILY HOME SATURDAY NIGHT, WERE HELD FROM THE HOME SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

Second Plant Exchange Is Held at Atlanta

ATLANTA, Tex.—The Federated Women's Clubs of Atlanta conducted the second plant exchange here for the benefit of rural women with excellent results. Cutting and shrubs of all kinds were collected in Atlanta and were given to women of the territory surrounding Atlanta.

Burns Fatal to Man When Home Destroyed

GENTRY, Ark.—Arthur Hampton, 60, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed his home near here Sunday. The fire was believed to have been started when Hampton was stricken with a heart attack and fell against a small stove, knocking it over. The house was destroyed before his body was found.

Trust Company Official Shoots Self to Death

ST. LOUIS.—(P)—John H. Sills, vice president of the Franklin American Trust company, one of the larger St. Louis banks, shot and killed himself at his home in a hotel here Sunday.

Police detectives said his death was an "unmistakable case of suicide," and that he had been despondent over the fact that a sister, Miss Marie Sills, a patient in a Milwaukee, Wisconsin, sanitarium, would never recover from an illness. James L. Ford, Jr., president of the bank said Sills' accounts in the bank were "unquestionably straight."



Ex-County Judge Jones, Lafayette, 3rd Man in Fight

SHOTS FIRED INTO JONES' HOME MONDAY NIGHT LEAD TO KILLING

BATTLE AT FALCON

TWO MEN AND BOY GO TO RUSSELL'S HOME IN NEVADA COUNTY

STAMPS.—(P)—An argument among three farmers over the firing of a revolver shot into the home of W. E. Jones, former county judge of Nevada county, was followed Sunday morning by the fatal shooting of W. E. Knight, 40, and the wounding of Elmore Russell, 30, Jones and Knight went to Russell's home and asked him if he had fired shots into Jones' home, officers said. The shooting followed, but details were lacking. Russell was brought to Stamps for treatment.

All three men were neighbors living near the county line. Jones in Fayette, Knight and Russell in Nevada. Russell owns the home where the shooting occurred in Nevada county, and Sheriff E. H. Weaver of Prescott was conducting the investigation at Falcon and Stamps Tuesday morning. He had not returned to Prescott at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and could not be reached for a statement.

Reports from Stamps said that the Jones' house was fired into from an automobile Monday night. "Former County Judge Jones and his son, came out of the house to track the car from which the shots were fired, and passing by the home of their neighbor, Knight, invited him to go along with them. The two men and the boy drove to Russell's home, where a conversation took place between the owner of the house and the men in the automobile. The three started away in their car, it was said, when shooting suddenly began.

Russell, in a hospital at Stamps, told officers someone fired from the car first, wounding him; and he then returned the fire. Knight was shot fatally.

Gurdon Welcomes New Methodist Minister

GURDON, Ark.—Rev. Thornburg Workman, who has been sent here to have charge of the Methodist church, arrived, preached his first sermon Sunday morning. The pastors of the Presbyterian and Beech Street Baptist church dismissed their Sunday night services and joined in a union service at the Methodist church, welcoming the new pastor into his work. The spirit of co-operation among the pastors of the different denominations has been good here and resulted in a union meeting last summer, with record attendance.

Beef Canning Methods Demonstrated at Fouke

FOUKE, Ark.—Members of the Fouke chapter of the Future Farmers of America, in co-operation with the Fouke home demonstration club, killed and canned a beef under the supervision of Frank E. Stanley, F. F. A. adviser.

Mrs. Tommie Stone Worth directed the women of the home demonstration club in the preserving of the meat. The demonstration was made in the home of Dr. W. J. S. Smith.

SOCIETY NEWS

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At Christmas time the presents fly,
Like birds exultant winging.
And some are swallows still and shy,
And some are eagles in the sky
And others thrushes singing.
Some gifts are sparrows pert and trim,
And some are wrens in raiment dim.
At Christmas time like birds they
fly.

The miles with tender greeting,
Some gifts are parrots bold and bright,
And some are doves in plumage white,
Their Christmas wish repeating;
But loveless gifts, that one must pay,
They're nothing else but birds of prey.
—L. M. T.

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Mrs. Marie McCorkle will leave the last of the week for Little Rock, where she will join Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Shipman of Bartlesville, Okla., for a holiday visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Anderson in Augusta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Porterfield, Mrs. Thos Kinser, Mrs. M. M. McCloughan and Miss Mary Butler will spend Wednesday visiting with friends and relatives in Texarkana.

Circle No. 3 of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church held their regular monthly meeting on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Minnie Galster on North Hervey street, with Miss Van Galster as joint hostess. Nine members responded to the roll call, and a most interesting program on "God's Ownership and Man's Partnership" was presented by Mrs. Ewing. Those taking part on the program were Mrs. Eugene White, Miss E. C. Fontaine, Miss Mary Carrigan and Mrs. E. S. Greening. A most instructive Bible study was given by Mrs. McCaulley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stringer and children spent Sunday visiting with friends and relatives in Malvern.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold their December meeting on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Henry H. Stuart, West Avenue C, with Mrs. C. B. Tyler as joint hostess.

Mrs. Carrie Ferrell, after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stringer left Sunday for a ten day's visit with her niece, Mrs. Oscar Barnett in Malvern.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Henry spent Monday visiting with friends and relatives in Waldo.

Mrs. Bill I. Collins of Kilgore, Tex., will spend the Christmas holidays visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Tully Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Cornelius and Mr. and Mrs. Max Cox were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Sheppard and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Higgins, as



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Back Again



Sun-back bathing suits will be in the mode at southern beaches again this winter, as this early photo from the Florida fashion front shows. Here you see Miss Jewel Watson of New York as she turned her back on the idea of having her picture taken.

members of a house party at Fountain Lake Tavern near Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Yancey Jr., of Fort Worth Texas were the week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Yancey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Yancey of Shreveport, Louisiana were the week end guests of Mr. Yancey's sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Douthitt and other relatives.

Basket Tournay Is Begun at School

Five Games Played Monday, Starting Three-Day Series

The home room basketball teams opened a three-day cake tournay Monday afternoon in Hope High School gymnasium, with five games. The tournament is continuing through Tuesday and Wednesday with games both afternoons.

Results Monday were: Jones 6, Vick 5; Durham 9, Bell 7; Wilkin 16, Hudson 2; Winburn 21, Stuart 2; Hinant 30, Whitehurst 2.

Lineups were: Vick—Bearden, Johnson, Beckworth, Baker, Collier.
Jones: Bayless, McGaughey, Anderson, McKee, Owens.
Bell: Brown, Turner, Richards, Reynerson, Stroud.
Durham: Berry, Hamilton, Cannon, Drake, Eason.
Wilkin: Erwin, Spillow, Taylor, Wyatt, Simpson, England.
Hudson: James, Murray, Hargis, Miller, Greenlee.
Winburn: Schooley, Porter, Lloyd, Long, Percell.
Stuart: Moody, Fuller, Hollis, Car-gile, Smith.
Hinant: Harper, England, Kennedy, Lawallen, England.
Whitehurst: McKee, Reynerson, Russell, Schooley, Ramsey.

Personal Mention

R. M. Patterson made a business trip to Texarkana Tuesday.

Parks Fisher, manager of the Scott Store, and C. E. Romig, manager of the L. C. Burr store, made a business trip to Nashville Monday.

Roy Anderson returned from Little Rock Monday night, where he had been transacting business for the past few days.

Lonoke County Bank Is Closed Up Monday

LONOKE.—(P)—The Lonoke County Bank, only banking institution here, failed to open Monday morning. C. C. Walls, member of the board of directors, attributed the closing to the recent heavy rains, which prevented the farmers from gathering their late cotton crop.

The bank was capitalized at \$30,000 and had been in business here 25 years.

Sac County, Iowa, raises more pop-corn than any other county in the United States and probably more than any other similar area in the world.

Prisoner Succeeds In Eluding Guards

65-Year-Old, Desperado Only One to Escape From Leavenworth

LEAVENWORTH, Kan.—(P)—A 65-year-old desperado, only one of seven Leavenworth prison convicts who made good an escape from posses that brought back three dead, one wounded and two unscathed, was still at large Sunday.

United States penitentiary guards have given up organized search for Earl Thayer, who was serving a 25-year sentence for an Oklahoma mail train robbery when he and the other six prisoners made a sensational dash for liberty Friday, with Warden Thos. B. White as hostage.

Guards dispatched hurriedly to investigate a report that a man stayed Friday night in a vacant farmhouse 25 miles west, near Winchester, Kan., were called back to the prison Saturday night, and during the Sabbath quiet prevailed over the scene.

Fred Zerbst, warden of the federal penitentiary annex, now in charge of both prisons while Warden White lies in a hospital recuperating from wounds inflicted by a convict, said guards will be sent out again if a warm trail is picked up.

Prison officials said no trace of Thayer was found Sunday. The last indication of his presence in the vicinity of the Emerson Salisbury farmhouse, eight miles west, where three prisoners died apparently from bullet wounds inflicted by one of their number, was his coat found by bloodhounds about a half mile from the house.

Thayer, Dangerous

The trail faded away and was lost where Thayer presumably covered it up by walking in a stream.

Warden White regarded Thayer as the most desperate of the seven and named him as the man who repeatedly urged the others that White should be killed.

White, in a hospital here, has shown much concern over the search for Thayer. The warden relayed word through Mrs. White that Thayer had told him: "This is my only chance for freedom. I'm taking it and if I die you're going to die with me."

A convict threat to blow up the prison entrance with dynamite caused the warden to issue the order releasing the seven convicts and their seven hostages to the outer world, Mrs. White revealed.

The prisoner, Mrs. White said her husband told her, had lighted a match and said he would touch it to a short fuse in a stick of dynamite he brandished if the main gate were not opened.

An autopsy showed William Green, Kansas City mail robber, as the slayer of his two companions, Grover O'Dur-sill and George Curtis, and himself, when they were surrounded in the Salisbury farmhouse. Officials said they believe if Thayer had remained, he too would have been killed by Green when the leader realized escape was hopeless and chose to die rather than surrender.

Stanley Brown and Tom Underwood, brought in alive with Charles Berta, who was wounded in the shoulder, are confined in the penitentiary incommunicado. Berta is in the prison hospital, and the other two in solitary.

Zerbst said they may be charged with prison break, punishable by a maximum penalty of five years additional imprisonment and \$1,000 fine. He added it was possible they would be accused of complicity in assault with intent to kill the warden.

The three are key witnesses in the Department of Justice investigation of firearms smuggled into the prison, and how convicts obtained passes to the warden's office.

The investigation also centers on the action of prison guards who did not resist the escaping convicts, and who later explained they did not shoot either because the warden ordered them not to or because they feared they might wound other persons.

Warden Zerbst has criticized the guard at the south armory from which a machine gun commands the grand starway leading to the main gate of the prison. He said that although the convicts as they came down the steps on the first lap of the escape, prison officials must take chances of being killed and the guard should have fired.

The guard, Hubert Gray, fired a rifle shot later, but was ordered to cease firing at a signal given at the warden's command by his secretary.

Warden White took a different view in the interview related through his wife. He said much bloodshed by innocent persons was averted on the prison lawn by Gray's inactivity, and said if one convict had been shot, the others, all armed, would have staged a pitched battle there.

Home Economics Club Holds Meet Friday

The Home Economics Club of the Hope High School, sponsored by Miss Lera Whitten, met Friday at the Home Economics cottage. On account of the absence of President Allene Wyllie, Vice-President Mollie C. Jones conducted the meeting. The minutes were read by Martha Canley and committees were appointed for the decoration of the cottage for Christmas entertainment and Christmas basket which will be taken care of at an early date.

Bandits Take \$9.90 in Bold Van Buren Holdup

VAN BUREN, Ark.—(P)—Two masked men early Monday forced H. J. Haxton, Missouri Pacific night ticket clerk, to unlock a cash drawer from which they took \$9.90 and escaped.

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 - ONE TABLE BOYS' OXFORDS, \$2.98 values. These shoes are ideal for school and hard wear. Stock up now. Your choice while they last. **\$1.49**
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- There are many other items drastically reduced but too numerous to mention in this small space. COME—BUY—SAVE!

Women's Dresses

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 - CHILDREN'S COTTON DRESSES, 98c values. New colors. All sizes, while they last ONLY **49c**
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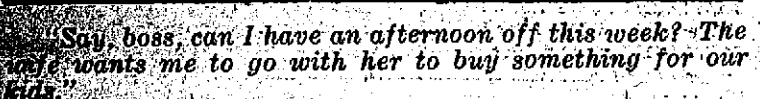
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